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Manami KUISEKO et al)	Group Art Unit: 2873
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For: REFLECTING MICROOPTICAL SYSTEM)	

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 17, 2002, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

✓ Kindly cancel claim 27.

Kindly replace claims 9 and 28, as follows:

9. (Thrice Amended) An optical system comprising,

a lens element for focusing incident luminous flux at a predetermined position, said lens element having, from a long conjugate distance side, a first surface concave to the long conjugate distance side and a second aspherical surface convex to a side opposite to the long conjugate distance side,

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